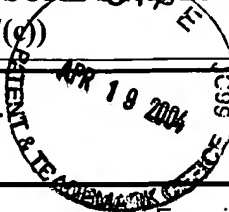


**TRANSMITTAL OF INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**  
(Under 37 CFR 1.97(b) or 1.97(c))

Docket No.  
14429

In Re Application Of: **WALTER BELCHINE, III ET AL.**



Serial No.  
10/739,884

Filing Date  
12/18/2003

Examiner  
UNKNOWN

Group Art Unit  
3677

Title: **PINLESS INSIDE DOOR HANDLE ASSEMBLY**

Address to:

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**37 CFR 1.97(b)**

1. ☒ The Information Disclosure Statement submitted herewith is being filed within three months of the filing of a national application other than a continued prosecution application under 37 CFR 1.53(d); within three months of the date of entry of the national stage as set forth in 37 CFR 1.491 in an international application; before the mailing of a first Office Action on the merits, or before the mailing of a first Office Action after the filing of a request for continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114.

**37 CFR 1.97(c)**

2. ☐ The Information Disclosure Statement submitted herewith is being filed after the period specified in 37 CFR 1.97(b), provided that the Information Disclosure Statement is filed before the mailing date of a Final Action under 37 CFR 1.113, a Notice of Allowance under 37 CFR 1.311, or an Action that otherwise closes prosecution in the application, and is accompanied by one of:

☐ the statement specified in 37 CFR 1.97(e);

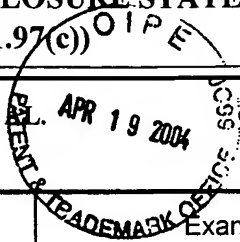
**OR**

☐ the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(p).

**TRANSMITTAL OF INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**  
(Under 37 CFR 1.97(b) or 1.97(c))

Docket No.  
14429

In Re Application: **WALTER BELCHINE, III ET AL.**



Serial No.  
10/739,884

Filing Date  
12/18/2003

Examiner  
UNKNOWN

Group Art Unit  
3677

**PINLESS INSIDE DOOR HANDLE ASSEMBLY**

**Payment of Fee**

(Only complete if Applicant elects to pay the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(p))

- ☐ A check in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_ is attached.
- ☐ The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_ as described below.
- ☐ Charge the amount of \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Credit any overpayment.
- ☐ Charge any additional fee required.

**Certificate of Transmission by Facsimile\***

I certify that this document and authorization to charge deposit account is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office (F:

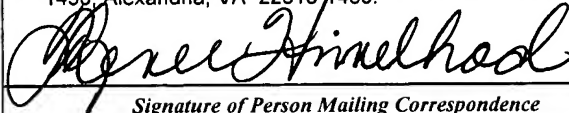
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Typed or Printed Name of Person Signing Certificate

**Certificate of Mailing by First Class Mail**

I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on 04/16/2004 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

  
Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence

RENEE HIMELHOCH

\_\_\_\_\_  
Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Certificate

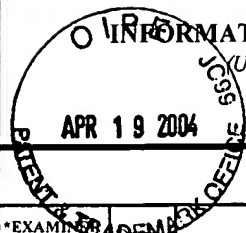
\*This certificate may only be used if paying by deposit account.

  
Signature

Dated: **APRIL 16, 2004**

**PAUL F. DONOVAN**  
**ATTORNEY OF RECORD**  
**REG. NO. 39,962**

CC:



## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION

(Use several sheets if necessary)

Docket Number (Optional)

14429

Application Number

10/739,884

Applicant(s)

WALTER BELCHINE, III ET AL.

Filing Date

12/18/2003

Group Art Unit

3677

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

*EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	5,895,081	04/20/1999	TANIMOTO ET AL.	292	348	

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

REF	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	Translation	
						YES	NO
	196 16 221 A1	31.10.96	GERMANY				

## OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)


EXAMINER

DATE CONSIDERED

EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP Section 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.